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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Title: Synfuel Composition)	
And Method of Using Same)	
•)	Art Unit 1714
Serial No.: 10/086,902)	
)	Ex. C. Toomer
Applicant: Hundley, J.)	
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Action Date: April 9, 2003)	
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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks 2011 So. Clark Place, Crystal Plaza 2 Room 1 BO 3, Mail Room Arlington, VA 22202

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF APRIL 9, 2003 AND NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT MAILED ON OCTOBER 8, 2003

In reviewing the response and amendment to the last office action it was noted clean copy of the amended claims was not provided. As a supplement to that response clean copies of claims 21 through 44 were provided herewith in response to an earlier Notice of Non-Compliance. The submission was deemed inadequate, see the attached second Notice of Non-Compliance which was mailed on the 8th of October, 2003 so this response is well within the ONE MONTH period for response set to expire Nov. 8, 2003.

In a conversation with the Examiner it was agreed that it would be simpler to cancel all the existing claims in the case and submit new claims 45 through 62 which are submitted herewith rather than again amend the existing claims. These new claims are rewrites of claims 21–24, 26--32, 34, and 36-42. As agreed, the Examiner is empowered to make any minor changes by Examiner's amendment to insure the claims comply with the agreed upon format back in the interview in June of this year.

If the Examiner has any questions, she is requested to promptly call the undersigned at the number below. The undersigned thanks the Examiner for her able assistance with the case.

Respectfully submitted,

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I, James W. Hiney, do hereby certify that an executed copy of this Supplemental

Amendment and Response was deposited, Express Mail Postage Prepaid, No. ER

132608841 US, with the United States Postal Service, this 17th day of October 2003.

James W. Hiney